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Docket No. 0905-0225P

PATENT

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: October 25, 1999

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows.

Page 11, line 10, change "Fig. 10 shows" to --Figs. 10(A)-10(C) show--.

Page 13, line 26, after "11" insert --which further includes a size data creating

B1 device 11a and an aspect altering device 11b--.

Page 43, line 19, change "Fig. 10 illustrates" to --Figs. 10(A)-10(C) illustrate--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-2 and 5-6.